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Dear Sir:

This paper is being filed in response to the Examiner's communication mailed May 5, 2004. In response to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application and in accordance with the requirements of 37 C.F.R. § 1.821 - § 1.825, Applicant encloses herewith a computer readable form of the Sequence Listing. In addition, a paper copy of the Sequence Listing is also provided. Please insert the paper copy into the file after the Executed Oath or Declaration, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.77(a)(15). Applicant hereby states that the computer readable form and the paper copy of the Sequence Listing enclosed do not include new matter.

Pursuant to the Examiner's request, also enclosed is a copy of the Notice to File Missing Parts of Nonprovisional Application with the sequence listing rules.

Respectfully submitted,

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